

GMUG National Forest Route and Gate Status 2012
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Uncompahgre Plateau			
Grand Valley Ranger District			
Route Name	Route #	Current Status	Comment
Divide Road	402	Partially Open	Road closed 15 miles from Forest Boundary, Barricade at Blue Creek
Big Creek Road	403	Open	Opened on 4/26
Brushy Ridge	409	Open	Opened on 4/26
Dominguez	408	Open	Opened on 4/26
Uranium Road/Indian Creek	404	Open	Opened
Nitch aka SOB, Pine Mtn. Road	405	Open	Accessible by 4 wheel drives and ATV's only.
Calamity Basin	405.2A	Open	
Cow Mesa	405.4A	Open	

Grand Mesa			
Grand Valley Ranger District (970) 242-8211			
Route Name	Route #	Current Status	Comment
Lands End-Hwy 65 side	100	Closed See photo	Closed to full sized vehicles per travel management 12/1-5/30
Lands End (above Wildrose Picnic Area)	100	Closed See photo	Closed to full sized vehicles per travel management 12/1-5/30
Lands End (lower)	100	Closed	Winter Range Wildlife Closure 12/1-5/1
Trickel Park Road/aka Bonham Reservoir / Big Ck. Reservoir, Cottonwood Lakes access from Collbran side	121	Closed	Closed 12/1-5/30 to full sized vehicles per travel management. ATV's not suggested due to snow.
Trickle Park Hwy 65 side	121	Open to Alexander Lake Lodge from Hwy 65 See photo	Open to Alexander Lake Lodge, Closed 12/1-5/30 to full sized vehicles per travel management. ATV travel not permitted from Hwy 65 to Alexander Lake Lodge.

Park Creek Vega State Park access	262	Not Accessible	Closed 12/1-5/30 to full sized vehicles per travel management ATV's not suggested due to snow.
Cottonwoods	257	Not Accessible	Not Accessible by full sized vehicles or ATV's due to snow depth
Old Grand Mesa Road from the north side of GM/town of Mesa	251	Open	Open, suggest high clearance vehicle
Atkinson Lake	114	Not Accessible	Not Accessible by full sized vehicles.
Leroux Creek	128	Closed 3/15/2012	Closed to full sized vehicles to protect roadbed. ATV's 50" or less allowed.
Surface Creek	125	Closed 4/1/2012 See photo	Closed 12/1-5/30 to full sized vehicles per travel management ATV's not suggested due to snow.
Old Grand Mesa Road	123	Closed 4/1/2012 See photo	Not Accessible by full sized vehicles or ATV travel not permitted from Hwy 65 to Intersection with Forest Road 129.
Buzzard Divide (Hightower Gate)	265	Open	Open to Paonia
Buzzard Divide (Bird Creek Gate)	265	Open	Open to Paonia
Leon Lake	127	Closed 4/4/2012	Closed to full size vehicles, ATV's not suggested due to snow depth.

Fruita Division			
Grand Valley Ranger District			
Route Name	Route #	Current Status	Comment
Fruita Res. #1	400.2C	Gate Closed 3/29/12	Closed 12/1-5/30 to full sized vehicles per travel management. ATV's not suggested due to snow
Fruita Division	400	Open to Reservoir 2 & 3	Access past Haypress campground not advised, muddy and snow. See photo.

LAKES on the Grand Valley Ranger District			
Lake/Reservoir Name	Forest	Current Status	Comment
Jumbo	Grand Mesa	Frozen	Thawing at Inlet, see photo .
Beaver	Grand Mesa	Thawed	
Sunset	Grand Mesa	Frozen	
Glacier Springs	Grand Mesa	Frozen	
Island Lake	Grand Mesa	Frozen	
Cobbett	Grand Mesa	Frozen	
Ward Creek	Grand Mesa	Frozen	Thawing at inlet , see photo
All other lakes	Grand Mesa	Frozen	